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REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed on September 30, 2004, a corrected listing of claims is enclosed. In particular, the status identifier for claim 4 has been changed to "Previously presented".

Reconsideration of this application in view of the amendments and remarks submitted on June 7, 2004 is requested. The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned to resolve any issues that remain after entry of this amendment. Any fees due in connection with this response may be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-1314.

Respectfully submitted,

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